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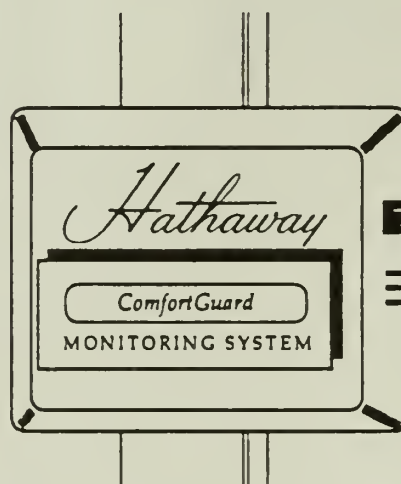


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“Down On The Farm” A Real Slice Of Life Drama During The Great Depression

If you've ever wondered how people got by years ago during the winter months without all the luxuries we have today, a diary has recently been donated to the Rochester Plumb Memorial Library's historical collection which provides a "real slice of life drama" during the Great Depression. It was a time when families used outhouses instead of toilets, pine needles were used to insulate houses and families wore sweaters and stockings to bed to try to keep warm. If someone didn't replenish the wood in the woodstove every half hour during the night, the family could freeze. Families listened to radios for entertainment instead of television sets. Men and women worked long hard hours. Many local historians are waiting to get their hands on the book "Down On A Farm-The Great Depression 1933-1934," a diary about a family who moved to North Rochester to work on a relatives farm, painting a bleak picture of the times and many hardships they survived with the help of strong family bonds and a gleam of hope for a better life.

The diary was written by Florence May LaCombe Hicks in January of 1934 and recounts the family's years at Ashwood Farm in North Rochester. Her husband, Leslie Hicks, went to work for his Aunt Bea (daughter of the noted painter Elijah Baxter) milking a herd of about a dozen cows and carrying out all the related farming chores surrounding a herd. He was 27 and his wife was 32 at the time.

The author's son, Robert Baxter Hicks, begins the book by explaining how the diary came about. "Early in 1934, in the depths of winter, she commenced keeping a diary of the experience, starting off with a retrospective look at what had transpired since their arrival late in March," he wrote. She begins writing about how she and her family moved away from Lynn to experience the "rustic life." Reality sunk in soon enough. "I had visions of spending winter evenings on the farm, sewing, and reading magazines, etc...Of course on the summer nights, we'd just sit outside and sort of rest and commune with the stars and nature. What a rude awakening awaited, as you will see," she wrote. Her family lived in a cabin until a "little house" was fixed up for them. "Now the cabin is a lovely one, being built to keep cool in the summer, and is almost a half-mile down in from the road on the edge of the pond,(Snipatuit) a fine place if one wanted absolute solitude." She was greatly disappointed after learning that her husband had to work long hours away from them on the farm. "He'd leave about 6:00 am and return anywhere between 9:00 and 11:00 for breakfast. I never knew whether I was on my feet or on my head. For a while it was pretty chilly, though a roaring fire was in the fireplace the wind would blow in around the doors and windows so we had to wear sweaters and stay right in front of the fire. There were times when we'd eat with our backs freezing," she explained.

Spring was much warmer with trees and green things coming to life-including ticks which would burrow themselves in the family dog "Teddy" and once in a while on the children, Jan

and Bobby. She and her children watched Mr. Hicks load the manure spreader and then followed him to the oat field where they watched him plow, harrow, disc harrow and seed. After the carpenter finally finished their house, they waited three weeks for a painter and another week for the paint to dry before they could finally move in. "Of course there was running water in the sink but we had an outside drain and an outside toilet."

Les had all his work to do and bottles to wash and cream to separate. "Grammie" and "Grampie" used to come down most every night to listen to the radio, "otherwise it wouldn't have been very nice alone down in the cabin with the two children and no telephone. One main problem the family faced was their Aunt Bea. "Our life down here has been like that due mainly to the fact that Bea will not follow a schedule, gets up late, makes and breaks her plans, and works late nights. Of course if there were more money and more help it wouldn't matter so much. Things would get done at a reasonable hour but Les has been haying at 9:00 am, working till 11:00 or later, working nights till 8:00 pm or 9:00 pm because he had to go haying just before chore time."

Mrs. Hicks also wrote about taking her children to the beach in Marion, learning to swim and getting "nice and brown." Her husband came with them on two Sunday afternoons because he had to take the milk route almost every Sunday. The diary isn't without its share of near-tragedies. One day "Grampie" (Les' father) was "fixing up an auto in the toolroom in the barn. Les was brushing the cows, the kids and I were watching when we heard a loud report. Les ran into the toolroom just as Grampie cried 'It blew up, I thought it was a little piece of copper tubing,'" and Les came out with him. He was holding his hand. The dark tan on Grampie's face was white," she wrote. He was brought to the hospital and given the choice of having the thumb, forefingers

On The Cover: This painting of Snipatuit Pond in late autumn was donated by the heirs of Elijah Baxter, noted painter who spent the last years of his life in North Rochester. Baxter's heirs donated two of his paintings to the Plumb Memorial Library for the public to enjoy.

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and middle finger of his left hand off or taking a chance on keeping them and a possible infection. He took the chance, she said. The doctors told him he was lucky that it hadn't gotten into his eyes. The diary also talks about his search for a job in Boston.

She also mentions her love of gardens of lovely roses, lilacs, bridal wreath and honeysuckle all over the front of the house. "When it was in blossom a hummingbird came. It was a beautiful tiny bird and we found its nest in one of the trees in the orchard. That nest wasn't larger than a quarter but there were two tiny birds in it. Les helped me climb the stepladder and I had a peek," she wrote. She kept herself busy sewing, making aprons, getting the material from Sears and Roebuck Co. mail order house, and raking pine needles to bank the house with.

She said she liked the country but not the confinement. "Farming from hand to mouth, and especially for someone else, and never being able to go anywhere for recreation rather gives one an existence instead of a life." She also said she enjoyed being outdoors and "realize this isn't forever." "We have great plans when we do get our 'Big Opportunity'." One of her biggest complaints is the bitter cold. On Monday, December 15, 1933 she wrote how she heard the news on the radio that it was so cold in Germany, birds froze in the air and they had to chop ice to free swans in the ponds. "Little did we realize that we'd experience the same thing ourselves," she wrote. Some nights were 18 degrees below. The children slept with their sweaters and stockings on in addition to shirts and nighties and heavy coats over their numerous blankets. Every one and a half hours the

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alarm went off to wake Les to replenish the fire. "Les found solid ice in the sink, which is right against the stove."

On Sunday, December 31, 1933 they found frost inside all around the baseboards and couch, "even though we have had a steady fire. The back door has been white with frost for the past few days. I certainly hope we won't have this experience often. Some papers report it as the worst in our history, at least it is the worst in more years than many can remember. The children still have noses that need continual wiping, Jan especially. I had some pleurisy but that is better. I think of those people without food or fuel. The suffering must have been acute in many places."

"This year has had many experiences, though we have been fortunate in the fact that we and ours have had food and shelter. We ourselves have gained physically down here, if not

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Priscilla Smith-Trudeau is a Registered Nurse, writer, and lecturer on the issues of human and animal rights. A graduate from the University of the State of New York her career has been focused on combining conventional and holistic medicine. She believes that animals have a powerful effect on the physical, mental and emotional well-being of people. She is a member of the Wellness Resource Center, Greyhound Friends, Inc., and the New Bedford Animal Rescue League.

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financially. Health is, of course, more important. I feel that we will all get to a more comfortable position. I hope so."

The diary ends abruptly at the end of March in 1934. At that time Mrs. Hicks discovered she was pregnant. It was July before they got away to a more promising future. Grampie found employment and Grammie's health continued to deteriorate as the removal of her teeth did not deter the effects of the real ailment, pernicious anemia, at that time incurable. According to Robert Baxter Hicks, son of Les and Florence, they moved to Middleton, where Fran was born in November. Les eventually became a regional field representative for Eastern States Farmers Exchange as assistant manager at a new warehouse in Putnamville. Bea continued to believe she was singlehandedly supporting many of her extended family, and was now being left in the lurch by her ungrateful nephew.

In the beginning of her diary, Mrs. Hicks states, "this record may or may not prove interesting when the children grow up." Luckily for us, the children found it interesting enough to donate to the Plumb Memorial Library for the opportunity to read a real history book. If interested in reading more about the Hicks family, a copy of the diary may be read at the library. Please call the library for more information at 763-8600.

The heirs of Elijah Baxter (Bea's father) have also donated two of his paintings, one of Lily Pond and one of Snipatuit Pond in late autumn, to the library. His heirs donated the paintings because he enjoyed spending his last 10 years living at the Ashwood Farm. The Trustees of the Plumb Library are pleased to have these beautiful and historically important works of art in their collection, and are indebted to Mr. Baxter's family for their generous gift. Elijah Baxter was born in Hyannis in 1849. His early work was purchased by prominent families including Providence Mayor Doyle and Rhode Island Secretary of State Alderman. He studied art in England and Belgium, and had art studios in Providence and New York as well as New Bedford. The public is welcome to stop in the library to admire the paintings.

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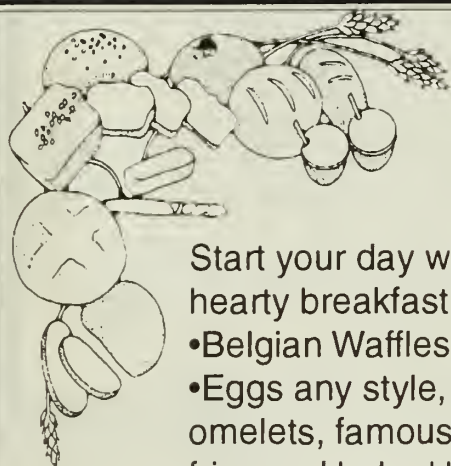
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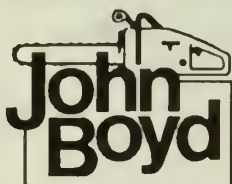
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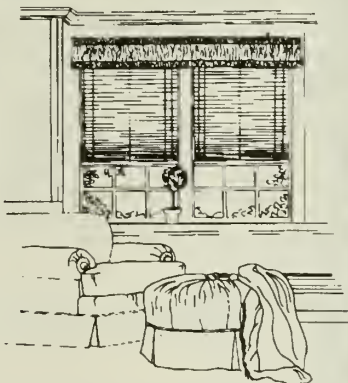
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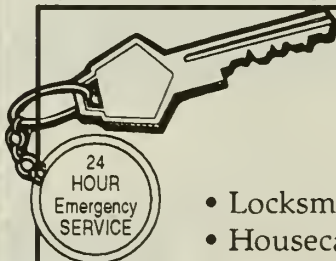
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Mattapoisett Selectmen's Meeting January 2, 1996

A regular meeting of the Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen was called to order on Tuesday January 2, 1996 at 7:00 pm by Selectman John N. DeCosta. Also present was Selectman Daniel O. Mahoney and Assistant to the Executive Secretary, Melody Pacheco. Chairman Paul Lambalot was detained a few minutes due to the inclement weather.

At 7:05 Selectmen met with Ms. Cynthia Paige and Ms. Michelle Bernier of the Mattapoisett Council On Aging. They informed Selectmen the Knights of Columbus have agreed to accept the COA as tenants for a one-year trail basis. According to the members, a full-time director would also be needed to open and close the center for liability purposes. Ms. Bernier said they would be thrilled to start meeting in the center in April or May, before the next Town Meeting in July. Selectmen agreed to add the three month budget on the warrant of the Special Town Meeting. They need to request \$5,105 to be added to their budget for rent, salary, set-up and janitorial services. "It would give time for the town to support it at the Annual Town Meeting," said Selectman Mahoney. He also noted the article would be for the first 2-3 months of the center's operation "with the notion to enter into a one year contract beginning in Fiscal Year 1996." Selectmen said they weren't sure if the position would be 35 or 40



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hours. Selectman Mahoney said he thought the town would be supportive of the new meeting place.

Following the approval of the minutes of the December 19 meeting, Selectmen signed a common Victualer License for Seaport Village Ice Cream & Coffee Shop (formerly the Seaport Pharmacy). The Board then voted for Selectman DeCosta as delegate for the annual election of the Massachusetts Interlocal Insurance Association boards at the MMA Annual Meeting. Under incoming correspondence, the Board received the following letters:

•A copy of correspondence from Tighe & Bond to the Board of Health was received relative to the transfer station site assignment hearing. Selectman

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• A copy of a letter to the MassHighway Department from the Architectural Access Board was also received regarding curb cuts on Route 6 at 13 Fairhaven Road. So far the state hasn't responded to the complaint filed against them with respect to alleged violations of the Board's Rules and Regulations. The letter states if the Highway Department doesn't respond within 10 days of receipt of the letter, the Architectural Access Board will schedule a hearing to determine whether or not to impose fines of up to \$1,000 per day per violation.

• The Division of Marine Fisheries notified the Board that Shaws Cove is open to the taking of shellfish effective December 15, 1995-April 30, 1996.

Under the Executive Secretary's report, it was noted a tree pickup will take place on January 8, 1996. All trees must be brought out to the curb with the butt end facing the street.

It was also noted that 1996 Beach and Wharf Stickers are now on sale at the Selectmen's Office for \$4.

There being no further business before the Board, the meeting adjourned. Selectmen proceeded to attend a 7:45 pm Planning Board hearing regarding zoning by-law changes.

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Marion Selectmen's Meeting

January 3, 1996

by *Amelia Thrall*

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The meeting began with the approval of minutes and the signing of warrants. The town counsel, Thomas P. Crotty, sent a "copy of recent correspondence indicating that Mr. Rivera will withdraw his appeal from your order regarding his dogs." The appeal came about after some confusion surrounding the possible destruction of the dogs. "It was never our policy to have the animals destroyed," Chairman Winters stated. "Destruction...is only the last, last resort."



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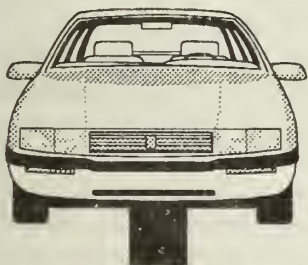
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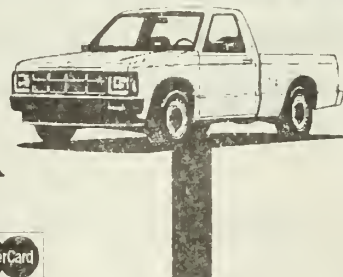


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Members of the Marion Conservation Committee submitted a letter requesting the board to reconsider removing the Buzzards Bay Action Committee from the Town House to relieve space problems. The letter cited the benefits of having the BBAC based in Marion. Chairman Winters stated that he did not "see any obligation to provide a permanent" home for the BBAC, and Selectman Schaefer agreed.

Robert N. Linde submitted "a request for the improvement in the winter conditions of Marion's sidewalks." Very few of them are cleared after snowstorms. He suggested that the town pass "a bylaw requiring homeowners to clear the sidewalks fronting their properties." He added that the town should make an "effort to notify owners of their responsibility (and possible vulnerability to lawsuit if an accident were to occur)." Another problem are driveway plowing contractors who do not realize their responsibility to prevent the snow banks from blocking sidewalks. Mr. Linde also recommended that the Selectmen "direct the DPW to stop piling snow on the walks. I suggest you take a look at the pile on the NE corner of Spring and Cottage Streets, just across from the school. Two years ago the pile at this location was at least five feet high and lasted for weeks." If there is a large snowfall, school children who walk home will be forced to walk down the streets. The board agreed with his suggestions and Selectman Schaefer recommended giving a copy to the planning board.

The chairman of the Wareham Board of Selectman sent the Marion a request for a perambulation of the bounds.

The BBAC sent a letter about a proposed marine fueling regulation. "The majority of the petroleum hydrocarbons entering Buzzards Bay are from the chronic small scale sources...." The

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proposed regulation would help lower these high levels of petroleum hydrocarbons.

Harry J. Schmitt, Jr., town accountant, resubmitted the "Proposed Budget for Fiscal Year 1997...based upon the new percentage [of 18.38%] for the Town of Marion based on the Certified Assessed Valuation for Fiscal Year 1995 on file with the State Department of Revenue."

F. Ellis FitzPatrick sent a letter stating that "the excess and deficiency funds for the Upper Cape Cod Regional Vocational Technical School District as of July 1, 1994 would have been \$1,328,278 if it had been set."

Members of the Technology Committee sent information concerning "the employment of a technology consultant." The board plans to meet with them to discuss the matter further.

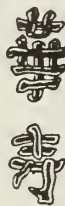
The board received a notification of an amendment to the flood map concerning a Vine Street property. John R. Buckley, Jr., Chairman of the Plymouth County Commissioners, sent a letter concerning refuse disposal.

The board also received a letter from several state officials about welfare reform. "Under the new law, individuals with school-age children who can work will be required to work." They requested that

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the Selectmen consider "reaching out to individuals who are currently in poverty" and "hiring welfare recipients for appropriate vacancies within your organization." Since there are no openings, this does not apply particularly well right now.

Charles Bradley, shellfish officer, wrote that the closure signs in Wing's Cove have been removed. The DEP sent a letter about maintaining an existing pier on Dexter Beach Road.

At 7:10 pm, the board held a pole hearing for three poles on Delano Rd. near Rt. 6. The board approved the placement of the poles.

At 7:15 pm, the board met with Betsy Dunn about applying for an award of monetary support for a program which trains nutritionists, social workers, nurses, and others in all aspects of care during and after pregnancy. The program, whose main purpose is to improve the infant mortality rate, has trained over 115 people since it started in 1992.

Executive Secretary Pickles recommended that the date for the town meeting should be set for Tuesday, February 13, the override election should be held Friday, February 16, and the warrant should close on January 9. The board agreed.

Chairman Winters announced that the town

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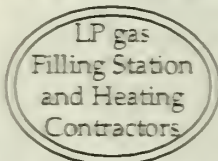
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and continued maintenance of the Music Hall. The Selectmen wrote a statement saying, "We are grateful for this most generous gift and, on behalf of the citizens of Marion, express our gratitude and appreciation to the anonymous donor. This expression of generosity will keep Marion the very special place it has been, is and will be in the future."

With no other business to discuss, the board adjourned the meeting at 7:55 pm.

Rochester Fire Department

Effective immediately, all residents of Rochester who wish to burn must pick up the rules and regulations to burn from the fire station and sign for the same. Burning season opens January 15, 1996-May 1, 1996.

Christmas Tree Pickup In Mattapoisett

The Mattapoisett Highway Department will start to pick up Christmas trees on Monday, January 8, 1996. Please have your Christmas trees at the curb by 7:00 am, with the butt of the tree facing the street. If you have any questions, please call the Highway Department at 758-4181.

Blood Pressure Clinics

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Gateway Players

We look forward to your continued support and activity with the Original Gateway Players. 1996 will begin with a workshop on Tuesday evenings from 7:00 pm-9:00 pm at the Fellowship Hall, First Congregational Church, Gibbs Avenue, Wareham; The Art of Famous Comedies with beginning focus on John Van Druten's *Bell Book and Candle*, and Philip Barry's *Holiday*. January 8, 1996 election will be held from 6:30 pm-8:00 pm at the Wareham Free Library. Nominees are: Chairperson-James Bonnell, Vice-Chair-Mary Donlon, Corresponding

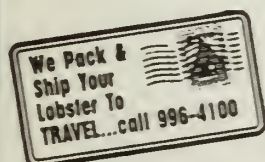


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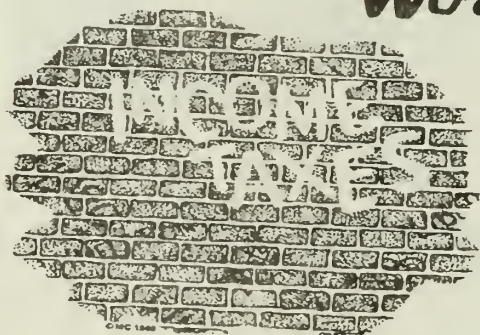
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Members of the Midd-Town Twirlers Square Dance Club will hold a New Beginning dance on January 6, 1996 at 8:00 pm at the Centre Methodist Church Hall on the corner of Center and Walnut Streets, Fairhaven. Paul Letourneau will call, Betty Leonard will cue. Mainstream level. \$3.50 per person. For information, call Alden at 993-3300.

The Mattapoisett Seniors' Club

The Mattapoisett Seniors' Club will hold its first meeting of 1996 on January 11 at 1:30 pm in St. Anthony's Parish Hall. The public is invited to attend, especially seniors, as a discussion of the benefits and coverage of "Medigap," the Medicare supplement, will be given by Jose Matos.

Door prizes will be awarded, according to Mrs. Rosalie Joaquim, vice president and program chairman. Mrs. Norma Jones, president, will preside at a business meeting and at the 12:45 pm session of the executive board.

Tri-Town Music Association

Sunday, January 28th has been chosen as the date for the Annual Free Children's Concert to be given by the Tri-County Symphonic Band. The concert will be held at 3:00 pm (plenty of time for

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Lloyd Center

The Lloyd Center continues its Saturday Seminar Series on January 6 with a discussion of seashells by resident shell expert Dennis Viera. Learn about the best places and times to find seashells in southeastern New England, how to identify the shells you find, and how to clean and maintain your collection. This talk will last from 2:00

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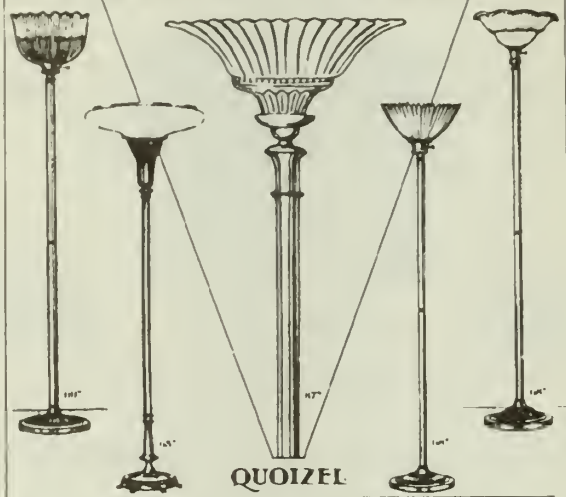
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Tracking Winter's Animals

Join the Lloyd Center on January 7 for an afternoon of winter tracking. Winter is a perfect season to investigate tracks left behind by native animals. Participants will learn how to distinguish between different tracks as well as marks less noticed by the untrained eye. Former Lloyd Center education coordinator Alan Harris will be leading this very informative walk on winter tracking which runs from 1:30 pm-3:30 pm. The fee for this program is \$4 for members and \$6 for nonmember. Please pre-register for this program by contacting the Lloyd Center.

Antarctica!

The Lloyd Center continues it Saturday Seminar Series on January 13 with an exciting talk by George Hampson of the Woods Hole Oceanographic Institute. Dr. Hampson will be discussing his research and experiences in Antarctica, home of numerous species of penguins, marine mammals, bizarre fish, and other exotic



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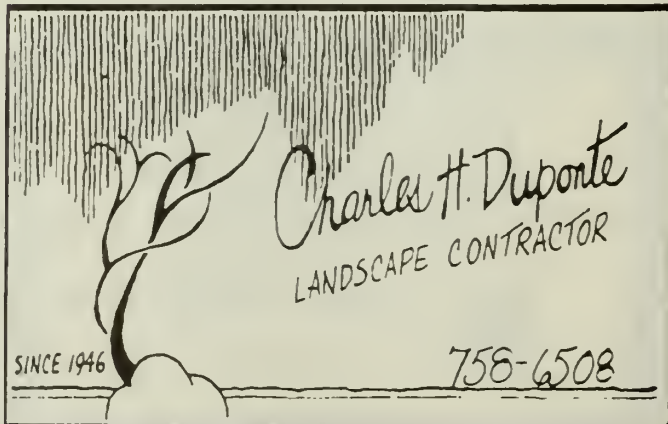
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Dr. Jay Gould comes to Mattapoisett from Cornell University where he taught internal medicine as an Assistant Professor of Medicine in the Small Animal Clinic. A graduate of Cornell's Veterinary College, Dr. Gould performed an internship and residency at the Animal Medical Center in NYC. He then went into private practice before accepting the position at Cornell. Dr. Gould is a board certified specialist in veterinary internal medicine with a special interest in gastroenterology. He is also a renowned expert in Avian and Exotic Animal Medicine.



The hospital hours are Monday - Friday 8am to 6pm and Saturdays 8am - 2pm. The Mattapoisett Animal Hospital will also schedule evening appointments. Emergency care will be provided to the patients of the hospital.

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The winter session will have seven programs beginning January 17/19 and ending March 6 and 8. Children may be registered for the afternoon program on Wednesdays from 1:00 pm to 1:45 pm or the morning program on Fridays from 10:30 am to 11:15 am.

Johnson and Wales Dean's List

Johnson and Wales has announced that a total of 1,565 students have been named to the Dean's List for their academic achievement during the fall trimester. To receive Dean's List comendation, students must earn a cumulative point average of 3.4 or above. Two Mattapoisett residents have been named to the list—Steven Orzechowski who is majoring in Culinary Arts and Peter Paige who is majoring in Food Service Management.

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Tobey Hospital

Tobey Hospital's capital campaign to raise \$4

million has achieved over \$2 million in pledges, thanks to a corps of dedicated volunteers who comprise the steering committee for "Community First-The Campaign For Primary Care." The hospital is deeply grateful to campaign committee members who have been meeting monthly since October 1994 to develop campaign strategies, recruit volunteers, and solicit gifts. With the community phase now underway, town chairs joined the steering committee in December. Town activities in support of the campaign will include presentations to civic and church groups, personal, phone and mail appeals and information sessions hosted by campaign volunteers. Anyone interested in helping Tobey achieve this important goal can call the Development Office at 291-3716



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Historical Society, will speak about Phebe Hart Mendall, "New Bedford's Cake Lady." Mrs. Mendall's recipes are featured in the cookbook, Favorite Recipes from Johnny Cake Hill, produced by the Museum's Volunteer Council. In addition, Mrs. Adams will talk about the art of housewifery in the 19th century. Following her talk, the Museum will be hosting a tea. Refreshments will be baked by the Volunteers using recipes for their cookbook. Museum members are admitted free, admission for non-members is \$5.

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As a continuing tradition, the museum will be open free of charge to the public on Wednesday afternoons, January 3 through March 27 from 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm.

Acushnet Elementary School

Extra Help

All fifth graders have an opportunity to prepare for tests and receive help during school time at daily study groups. These tutorial/review enrichment programs are conducted by Mrs. Mamroe, the fifth grade special needs aide. The sessions last from 1:00 pm-1:30 pm during lunch recess. Each Monday, a notice is posted outside the door of Room 26 which lists the groups planned for that week. Whenever a test is scheduled in advance, a study group is held one or two days before the test.

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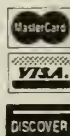
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quizzes or practiced choral spelling. Social Studies groups have made flashcards from class notes. Anyone who comes to all the 50 Nifty study sessions will end up with a complete set of 50 flashcards of states, capitals and abbreviations. This will be a big help in studying for the end of the year 50 Nifty contest! Other sessions have been used to research reports in the library, edit reports, create study guidelines, or for extra help in problem areas. This help is available to any fifth graders who want to participate.

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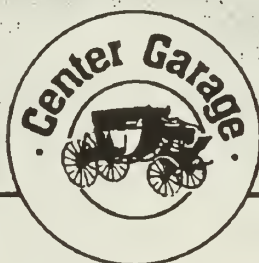
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The Sippican Choral Society begins rehearsals for its Spring 1996 concert on Monday, January 8 at the Congregational Community Center in Marion. New and previous members are welcome to join the chorus simply by coming to the first rehearsal, which begins promptly at 7:30 pm. The concert, entitled "A Spring Potpourri," will feature John Rutter's beautiful "Requiem," a small group performance of PDQ Bach selections, a medley from "Showboat" by Oscar Hammerstein and Jerome Kern, and music from the Americana genre, such as "Cindy" and "Shenandoah."

The Spring Potpourri will be performed at the Middle School in Fairhaven on Sunday, April 28 at 4:00 pm. All voices are welcome (soprano, alto, tenor, and bass) and tenors and basses are especially encouraged to sing with the chorus this year. No auditions are necessary, so if you think you can sing and you've always wanted to experience the joy of performing beautiful music with a large chorus, now is the opportunity.

As always, everyone who has sung with the chorus in past years will be welcomed back. All singers should come early to the first rehearsal (no later than 7:15 pm) for registration, so that practice can start on time. Now beginning its 32nd season, the 80-member Sippican Choral Society is under the

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direction of Peter West, with Corinne Peck as accompanist. The group performs at least two concerts every year, singing works by many of the world's great composers as well as lighter works from the musical theatre.

Earlier this month, for instance, the Sippican Choral Society performed Antonio Vivaldi's "Gloria" in addition to several shorter Christmas works, while last year's Spring Concert consisted of selections from the great choral works of the western world.

For further information about singing with the Sippican Choral Society this winter and spring, please call Lynn Danse (748-3653) or Peter McDonald (748-0358) both in Marion.

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Remember the Board of Directors will also be on January 8 at 3:00 pm at Village Court.

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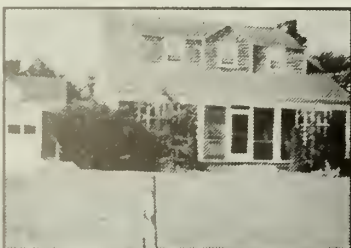
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The deadline for receiving these requests is May 1, 1996. All applications must be mailed to: Tri-Town Dollars For Scholars, P.O. Box 592, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. Applications for high school students will be available to the individual school guidance offices at a later date.

Marion Walking Club

The Sippican Striders Walking Club will have a new schedule for the winter months. The group will gather in front of Sippican School at 10:00 am on Monday mornings and 2:00 pm on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons. All ages are welcome on this hour long walk through scenic Marion.

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The Mass schedule at St. Anthony's Parish, 22 Barstow Street, Mattapoisett, is 4:30 pm Saturdays; 8:00 am and 9:30 am and 11:00 am on Sundays; and 8:00 am daily. Devotions to St. Anthony will continue at Tuesday morning Mass throughout the year. Confessions are held Saturdays from 3:30 pm to 4:00 pm, anytime by appointment. Donations of non-perishable foods for St. Vincent dePaul may be left in the church hall or at the front of the church.

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These players, David Costa, Garrett Sullivan, and Josh Mechler at U-14 and Colin Cabral and Adrian Gonsalves at U-15, were required to match their technical skills and tactical awareness against the other candidates, who were among the best players in the state.

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to a selection to the National Teams in various age groups as well as Pan-Am and Olympic Teams.

Screening Clinic

A screening clinic for 3 and 4-year-olds residing in the towns of Marion, Mattapoisett, and Rochester will be held on Friday, January 5 at the Memorial School in Rochester. The purpose of the screening is to identify the children with potential learning problems. Call 748-0100 for information and appointment.

Annual Railroad Show

The Old Colony and Fall River Railroad Museum will be sponsoring its Ninth Annual Railroad Show on Sunday, January 14, 1996 from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm at the Luke Urban Field House, B.M.C. Durfee High School, 360 Elsbree Street in Fall River.

The show is open to the public as well as dealers. A crowd of over 2,000 people is hoped for because all proceeds from this event directly benefit the museum. According to Jay Chatterly, chairman for the show, there will be 155 tables of dealers and



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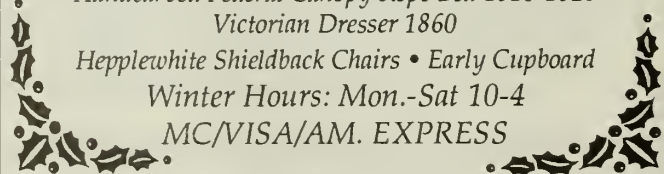
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The museum will have a membership table to sign up anyone wishing to join this great group. There is an admission charge of \$2.50 for adults, \$1 for children aged 5-12 and Senior Citizens (65 and over). There is no charge for children under 5 when accompanied by an adult. All funds from this show will be used to enhance the museum. For further information, please contact Jay Chatterton at (508) 674-9340.

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Old Colony in Rochester plans to have a Winter series of leisure learning adult education courses starting on January 15. The course offerings include a number of new subjects and will be among the largest selection of adult classes to date. All classes are for six weeks and most of them are held from 6:00 pm-9:00 pm one evening per week. Among the new course offerings will be an upholstery class. Other courses include real estate fundamentals, arts and crafts, aerobics, geodesic design, introduction to electronics, automotive maintenance, 35 mm photography, introduction to personal computers, microsoft word, windows for pc's, welding, cake decorating, quilting, floral design, small engine repair, lotus 1-2-3, desktop publishing, drafting-blueprinting, autoCAD, oil/watercolor painting and basket making. The cost for each 6-week course is \$45. Registration can be made by mail or in person on Sunday, January 7 from 1:00 pm-3:00 pm. More information about these adult classes can be obtained by calling Norman Reid at 763-8011 anytime during normal school hours.

Stenciling/Decorative Painting

Old Colony will be offering an adult education course called Stenciling/Decorative Painting starting on January 16. This 3 hour weekly course will show you the basic techniques to design, create and cut your own stencils that can be used on walls, wood or fabrics. Class supplies will be minimal and you can bring small projects from home to stencil. Basic decorative painting techniques will be presented to enhance your stencilling. The cost for this 6 week course is \$45. Registration can be made by mail or in person on Sunday, January 7 from 1:00 pm-3:00 pm. More information about these and other adult classes can be obtained by calling

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Football Team Banquet

Old Colony's Championship Football Team will be honored at the annual Gridiron Club Banquet scheduled for Wednesday, January 10, 1996. The football team, under the leadership of head coach Kevin Gonsalves, captured the Mayflower League Small School Championship and a berth in the Division 6A Superbowl for the first time in school history. The Cougar Cheerleaders will also be recognized for their excellent season. The cheerleaders were coached by Ms. Tara Medeiros.

The banquet will be held in the school cafetorium beginning at 6:30 pm. A spaghetti dinner will be prepared by Old Colony's Culinary Arts Department. The Gridiron Club is a parent group which provides support to the football team and cheerleading squad throughout the year and is led by president Arthur Gerard.

Magic With Seashells

Old Colony in Rochester plans to have a course called "Magic With Seashells" on Thursday evenings starting January 18. This three hour weekly course will allow you to use your imagination to create anything and everything out of seashells.

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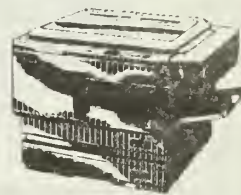
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East/West Aerobics

Old Colony plans to have a new exercise course titled "East/West Aerobics" in the evening based on Tai-Chi, Yoga and Martial Arts followed by



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Financial Aid Night

Old Colony Regional Vocational Technical High School has scheduled its Financial Night for Parents on Tuesday, January 9, 1996. The program will run from 6:30 pm until 8:00 pm and will include a review of the State and Federal Financial Aid Forms. These are the forms which are used to determine eligibility for grants, guaranteed loans, and work-study programs. Also included in the program will be information on additional educational loan programs, local scholarships, and the college application process.

ORR Special Ed Meetings

The regular meetings for the 1995/1996 school year of the ORR and Union 55 School District Special Education Parent Advisory Council (PAC) will be held on Wednesday, January 24, 1996. All parents of students with special needs, and those interested in the special education programs in our towns are invited to attend. For further information call 748-2192 or the Marion Chairperson, Sandra Kinney at 748-2836, the Mattapoissett/ORR Chairperson, Gail McSwiggan at 758-4354 or the Rochester Chairperson, Christine McCombe at 763-5392.

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Marion Sippican Seniors

The regular meeting of the Marion Sippican Seniors will be held at 1:30 pm on Friday, January 12 at the VFW Pavilion in Marion. The 1995/1996 slate of officers will be reinstated by Paul Williams. They are: Emilie Rose, president, Leo Gagnon, vice president, Al Larkin, secretary, Sandy Prescott, Treasurer and Natalie Sullivan, assistant treasurer.

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Senior Drop-In

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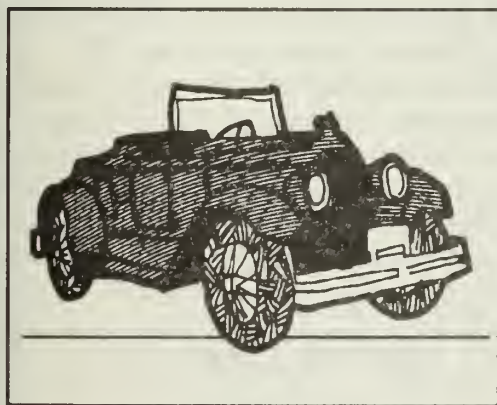
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Also offered are whist parties at 1:00 pm the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. Contact Natalie Sullivan at 748-1467.

Executive Board

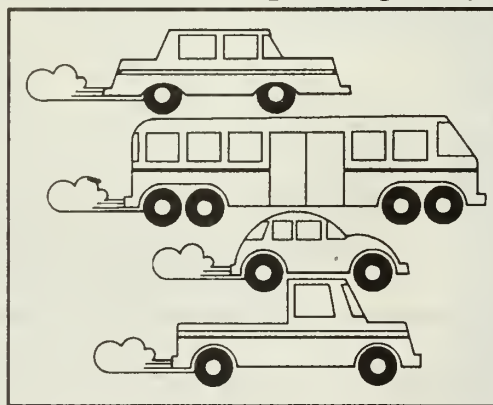
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Mattapoisett Seniors Touring Club

We are now accepting deposits for the Ireland Trip on April 17 through April 24, 1996. A deposit is due by January 4, 1996. On March 18-20 there will be a trip to White Mountain Hotel and Resort. There will also be a performance by Irish

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Citizens Initiative Group

Increasingly aware of the challenges facing the town of Mattapoisett as it continues to grow, a number of residents have organized the Mattapoisett Citizens' Initiative with a primary focus on land use as related to Growth Management. The last indepth study of the possible growth paths for the town was completed in 1989. Events are moving so rapidly that it was thought a thorough review of present and future alternatives for land use in the town would be timely. The next meeting of the new organization is scheduled for 7:30 pm on Wednesday, January 10, 1996 at the Mattapoisett Quaker Meeting House on Route 6. All interested Mattapoisett residents are invited to attend. The agenda will include a review of the last Growth Management Report from 1989 and a preliminary assessment of the existing Zoning By-law. It is also expected that a report will be presented of the Planning Board hearing scheduled for January 2 on the proposed change of the Zoning By-law to allow public golf courses in the town.

Diversity Committee

The Diversity Committee for the Old Rochester Regional School District will be hosting a Global Celebration on March 18, 1996. This event will be organized by teachers, students, parents, and community members. The goal of the celebration is to heighten awareness of diversity issues for students in grades 7-12. We are seeking community members who would be willing to donate time or

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Nomination Papers

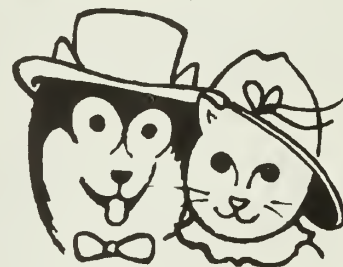
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Mattapoisett Police Log

The following log excerpts are for the dates of December 12-24, 1995.

- Fairhaven Road-suspicious activity
- North Street-suspicious activity
- Acushnet Road-illegal hunting
- Marion Road-ambulance requested
- Acushnet Road-suspicious activity
- Brandt Island Road-motor vehicle accident
- County Road-arrest
- Fairhaven Road-suspicious activity
- Pine Wood Way-disturbance, general
- Fairhaven Road/Parker Street- arrest
- North Street-ambulance request
- North Street-domestic abuse
- Brandt Island Road-motor vehicle accident

Rochester Police Log

The following log excerpts are for the dates of December 12-24, 1995.

- Stevens Road-vandalism
- New Bedford Road-annoying phone calls
- Walnut Plain Road-animal complaint
- Walnut Plain Road-motor vehicle complaint
- Snipatuit Road-car off the road
- Neck Road-suspicious motor vehicle
- Braley Hill Road-animal complaint
- Woodland Drive-past breaking and entering
- Wolf Island Road-past breaking and entering
- Wolf Island Road-disturbance, general
- Hartley Road-medical emergency
- Vaughan Hill Road-suspicious activity
- Mary's Pond Road-parking violation
- Mattapoisett Road-motor vehicle complaint

Marion Police Log

The following log excerpts are for the dates of December 17-24, 1995.

- Mill Street-breaking and entering, past
- Spinnaker Lane-family disturbance
- Point Road-suspicious person
- Wareham Road-suspicious activity
- Mill Street-medical emergency
- Delano Road-suspicious activity
- Abels Way-medical emergency
- Mill Street-larceny, past
- Creek Road-animal complaint
- Main Street-ambulance assistance requested
- Wareham Road-suspicious motor vehicle
- Olde Meadow Road-breaking and entering, in progress

Acushnet Police Log

The following log excerpts are for the dates of December 17-24, 1995.

- Middle Road-disturbance, noise complaint
- Russell Street-vandalism
- Lake Street-warrant arrest
- Main Street-domestic disturbance
- South Main Street-vandalism
- Main Street-ambulance and emergencies
- Hayes Street-larceny or breaking and entering into a motor vehicle
- Main Street-traffic accident
- Anthony Street-traffic accident
- Slocum Street-vandalism
- Robinson Road- larceny or breaking and entering into a motor vehicle
- Lake Street-breaking and entering with forced entry
- Slocum Street-assault and battery on a household member
- Middle Road-traffic accident, hit and run
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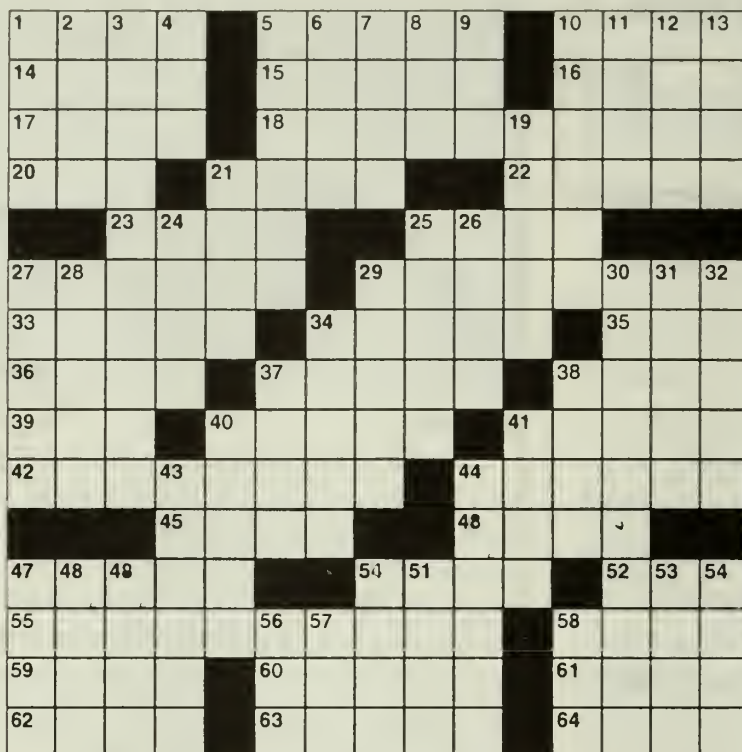
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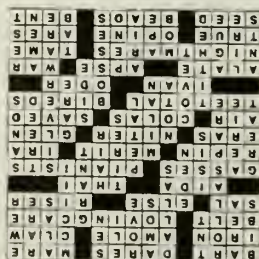
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By Linda Black

Weekly Tip: Quick thinking will be required to keep up with the competition. You'll have to be really sharp to get ahead.

Aries (March 21-April 19). Take an extra job if it's offered, to make extra money. A disagreement with a friend could flare up.

Taurus (April 20-May 20). You're lucky. Launch your projects for the year, by listing them. Try something tough; you're strong.

Gemini (May 21-June 21). You may not feel like doing much. There's one task you shouldn't forget, though. Push yourself.

Cancer (June 22-July 22). Call a bureaucrat before you fill out official forms, to make sure you're doing it correctly. You'll be strong.

Leo (July 23-Aug. 22). You may find an older person frustrating. Just do the job as it's been assigned.

Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). You're very lucky, so take on a challenge this year. Follow orders but mention it if there's a planning error.

Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). If you need a loan, talk to an older relative about it. A chance encounter with a foreigner could lead to an interesting opportunity.

Scorpio (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Take constructive criticism in good humor. It can help you improve your presentation.

Sagittarius (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). Too bad if you have a headache. There's work to be done that can't be put off any longer! An argument could lead to an improvement.

Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Hopefully, you can take some time off. It's perfect weather for cuddling with your sweetheart. You can catch up on your workload later.

Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). A younger person may develop a crush on you! Keep the relationship strictly intellectual, unless otherwise appropriate.

Pisces (Feb. 19-March 20). Take some quiet time for yourself. It'll help you relax, and solve a persistent problem. A chatterbox at home could get on your nerves. Listen politely, and that person will think you're wonderful.

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Marion Open Space Planning Committee

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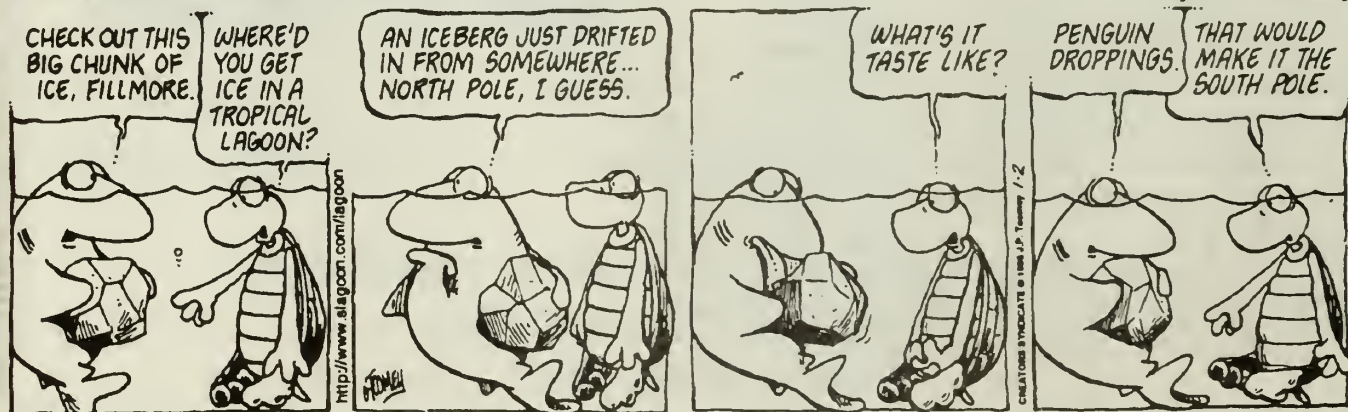
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TOWN OF ROCHESTER BOARD OF APPEALS NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the petition of Alfred Carreau, 45 Quaker Lane, who is seeking a Special Permit under Section VIII D.6. of Protective By-laws to allow the operation of a business in a residential/agricultural district. Hearing is scheduled for Thursday, January 11, 1996 at 7:30 p.m. in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall.
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• Monday Bingo begins at 12:45 pm.

• Tuesday, a game of Scrabble will be held from 1:00 pm-4:00 pm.

• Wednesday, there will be shopping at Shaw's at 8:00 am. There will also be Blood Pressure Clinics for all residents of Acushnet at 9:00 am; Bingo will begin at 12:45 pm the same day.

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Regional Lunch Menus for January 8-12

Coastline Elderly Services

- *Monday, January 8*-roast beef with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, branola bread, melon balls.
- *Tuesday, January 9*-chicken cutlet with sweet n' sour rice, Oriental Vegetables, white bread, applesauce, cake.
- *Wednesday, January 10*-beef strip with gravy, boiled potatoes, Oregon blend vegetables, pumpernickel bread, butterscotch pudding.
- *Thursday, January 11*-American chop suey, corn, honey wheat bread, fresh orange.
- *Friday, January 12*-baked fish with lemon, scalloped potatoes, spinach, corn bread, canned peaches.

ORRJHS

- *Monday, January 8*-soup, sloppy joe, or chicken patties, broccoli, chips, pickles, dessert, juice or milk.
- *Tuesday, January 9*-calzones or Italian sub, carrots, applesauce, dessert, juice or milk.
- *Wednesday, January 10*-soup, American chop suey, or chicken fritters, greenbeans, garlic bread dessert, juice or milk.
- *Thursday, January 11*-tacos or ham and cheese croissant, lettuce, tomato, nachos, cheese sauce, salsa, dessert, juice or milk.
- *Friday, January 12*-half day, muffin, bagels, juice or milk.

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Old Colony

- *Monday, January 8*-fruit juice, rib-b-que sandwich, hash brown pattie, broccoli, chocolate pudding.
- *Tuesday, January 9*-pork chop, mashed potatoes, peas, sweet potatoes, applesauce, roll and dessert.
- *Wednesday, January 10*-chicken nuggets, french fries, carrots, bread and butter, and marble cake.
- *Thursday, January 11*-orange juice, linguica sandwich, baked beans, chips, mixed vegetables, and peanut butter macaroon.
- *Friday, January 12*-vegetable soup, tuna roll or grilled cheese, spicy fries, corn and dessert.

Acushnet Elementary School

- *Monday, January 8*-hamburger on a bun, french fries, raw veggies, pickles, milk and pudding or ham sandwich and soup.
- *Tuesday, January 9*-chicken nuggets, carrots, milk or turkey and soup.
- *Wednesday, January 10*-hot dog on a roll, french fries, raw veggies, milk, fruit or bologna and soup.
- *Thursday, January 11*-beef chow mein sandwich with noodles,

vegetables, milk and dessert or grilled cheese and soup.

- *Friday, January 12*-pizzeria pizza, cheese or pepperoni, pasta, salad, milk and dessert or tuna and chowder.

Ford Middle School

- *Monday, January 8*-hamburger on a bun, french fries, raw veggies, pickles, milk and pudding or ham sandwich and soup.
- *Tuesday, January 9*-chicken dippers, carrots, milk or turkey and soup.
- *Wednesday, January 10*-hot dog on a roll, french fries, raw veggies, milk, fruit or bologna and soup.
- *Thursday, January 11*-beef chow mein sandwich with noodles, vegetables, milk and dessert or grilled cheese and soup.
- *Friday, January 12*-pizzeria pizza, cheese or pepperoni, pasta, salad, milk and dessert or tuna and chowder.

Upper Cape Cod

- *Monday, January 8*-chicken patties on a roll, fries, tossed salad, lemon pudding, milk.
- *Tuesday, January 9*-chili with cheese, homemade corn bread, tossed salad, fresh fruit, milk.
- *Wednesday, January 10*-baked honey lemon chicken, rice pilaf, buttered bread, tossed salad, apple cobbler, milk.
- *Thursday, January 11*-American chop suey, garlic sticks, tossed salad, fruit, milk.
- *Friday, January 12*-pizza with assorted toppings, homemade hashbrowns, tossed salad, fruit, milk.

Assorted sandwiches and potato chips are also available daily.

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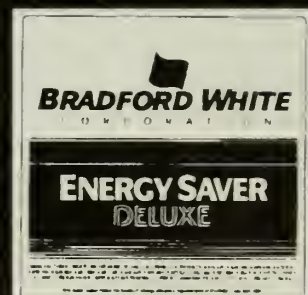


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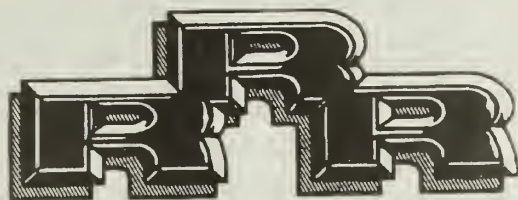
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January 5:	Fri.	7:20	7:40	12:33	1:16
January 6:	Sat.	8:00	8:21	1:07	1:45
January 7:	Sun.	8:39	9:01	1:42	2:15
January 8:	Mon.	9:19	9:42	2:17	2:47
January 9:	Tues.	9:58	10:23	2:54	3:21
January 10:	Wed.	10:39	11:06	3:33	3:58
January 11:	Thur.	11:23	11:53	4:16	4:39
January 12:	Fri.	...	12:11	5:03	5:25
January 13:	Sat.	12:46	1:07	5:58	6:18
January 14:	Sun.	1:44	2:08	7:00	7:18

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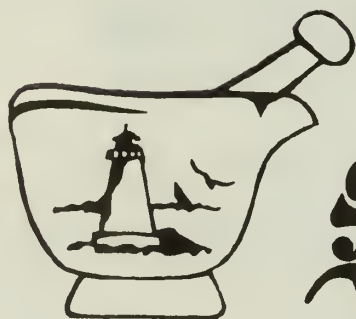
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